LOAN

New York Capital not Coming to Time-Some Inquiries About Johnny Roach. The ancient fable of "the Farmer and the Larks" is not yet obsolete, and it is still true that if you want anything done you must do it yourself. Our enterprising little neighbor, Chester, is having this fact renewedly and forcibly pressed upon her attention. Some months ago her people revelled in golden-hued prophecies of her future greatness, founded on the fact that John Roach, proprietor of the Morgan Iron Works in New York, had made an extensive purchase of land within the city, along the river front. We had, at the time, doubts as to whether this purchase would result in the establishment of any mighty enterprises. establishment of any mighty enterprise, and our doubts were much increased when we learned that Mr. Roach proposed to "build his bulls on the Delaware and his machinery at his New York works." This, it seems to us though perhaps practical, was not a wise policy, nor one tending to the great result of lessening the cost of building iron ships.

Mr. Roach, however, has as yet done nothing toward building his shipyard, and the Chester Democrat facetiously asks, "How are you, Johnny Roach?" and then proceeds to inquire whether or not Mr. Roach really means business, or is merely speculating in land. It says that New Yorkers, of whom they have expected so much, have thus far been a failure, and thinks that the idea that New York has any respect for Chester is a mere hurtful fallacy. It gives several instances in which great expectations founded on New York capital have come to naught, and returning to Mr. Roach, says: -

Now, how are you Johnny Roach? is the quertion, and what are you going to turn into? A leviathan or a speculator? Did you come over here and buy a tract of land, and make promises, to get the Pennsylvania delegation in Congress to vote for your subsidy scheme? Out with it or down comes the printer's devil. We would like to have you come but we sincerely believe that if you had got your \$20,000,000 subsidy bill through you would have gone to New York to build the said steamers. Chester would have been a land of promise. You must remember that, when the Reaney works were offered, you did not see it. Do you think that your 'big thing' will come to town?"

The Democrat evidently has doubts on the matter, and in all similar projects depending on New York capital, and says further:—"That we are to be a great and rapidly-growing place, mostly through iron shipbuilding, few deny; but that the capital is coming from New York, or that those who have thus far come among us are anything more than mere speculators, few persons can be persuaded."

We hesitate to say anything which would appear to cast a shadow over this bright hope, and could scarcely be induced to do so, did we think Chester would accept the unpalatable truth, but since she will doubtless attribute what we say to the jealousy of a supposed rivalry of interest. it will not hurt her, and will serve the cause of truth, to state the simple fact that Chester is, for several reasons, not especially adapted to iron shipbuilding. Nature has given her some great obstacles to contend with, and her efforts in that line of industry have never yet been successful. For many kinds of manufacturing no place has better advantages, but in the building of iron ships it is doubtful if any amount of capital and enterprise can make her great. - Wil-mington (Del.) Commercial.

YANKEE ASSURANCE.

Young New York in the Vatican. The New York correspondent of the Boston

Journal tells this story:-One of our most eminent brokers has a portion of his family travelling in Europe. Among them is a young son, who is preparing by travel to join his brothers in the business of the street. In company with some friends he made one of the party who were to have an audience with the Pope. As is well known, these audiences are held in the library of the Vatican. The visitors who have the honor of an interview are ranged on either side, single file. The Pope passes down the line. As he passes slowly along devout Catholics kneel and kiss the slipper quasi-Catholics kneel and kiss the hand of his Holiness. Others stand and salute the hand which is extended to all. The young New Yorker was the last on the line. He did not kneel to kiss the shoe, nor did he kiss the outstretched hand, but seized it, and gave it a good, hearty, Yankee shake. The consternation at the audacity of the young man was very marked. The Pope, who was evidently taken by surprise, was the first to recover himself. He shook his finger roguishly at the youth, laid his hand on his shoulder, and said:—"You are from New York, I presume, young man?" "I am a New Yorker," was the reply. "I thought so," said the Pontiff, as he passed on, intimating that a New Yorker was quite daring enough for any-When questioned how he dared to do such a thing, Young America replied:-"Dare do it? I shook hands with General Grant and General Scott, and why should I not shake hands with the Pope as with any other eminent The affair is quite the talk of the street where the young man is well known. It will make him quite as famous as the act of Raleigh when he flung his cloak in the mud before

A SINGULAR SUICIDE.

A Man Throws Himself in Front of a Locomotive and is Cut to Pieces.

The Indianapolis Evening News says that just before the St. Louis express on the Terre Haute, St. Louis and Vandalia Rallroad started from the Union Depot at 7:50 o'clock that morning, a strange man was observed to be slewly walking back and forth near the engine on the south side of the track. In one hand he held a valise and in the other a shawl. Just as the train began to get in motion, and while still in the depot, he was seen to drop his valise and shawl, give a sort of groan or exclamation of some kind, stoop a little and plunge headforemost under the engine, between the forward trucks and the drive-wheel. Of course no mortal could have rescued him from death under the circumstances. One drive-wheel struck him, turning the man over on his back, just above the left hip, and literally crushed the lower part of the body, severing the left leg and the thigh therefrom, and permitting his bowels to protrude. His right leg was also severely bruised above the knee, and broken below.

The engine was reversed and the train stopped within four feet from the place where the man fell. The body was pulled out and taken to the Surgical Institute, where death followed within two or three minutes after its arrival.

PERILS OF THE DEEP.

A Bark in Distress - All Hands Seven Days at the Pumps. The steamship Iowa, from Glasgow, at this port, reports:—Experienced westerly winds almost the entire passage. April 9, fell in with a dismasted vessel, with a brig hove to near her. She proved to be the Swedish barkentine Freia, from New York for Cronstadt, caught in in a severe hurricane on the 2d, carrying away mizzenmast by the board, and fore and mainmass by eyes of the rigging: swept away boats, bulwarks, stanchions, and houses on deck, and destroyed all water and provisions; had been seven days constantly at the pumps, and were seven days constantly at the pumps, and were completely exhausted; were about to abandon her and take to the brig, which was the Hebe (of Jersey), from Cuba for Gaspe; the captain refused to be taken on board, as he was unable to do anything with his vessel; took them all on board the steamer, and put them under the care of the surgeon; sent hands on board and pumped her dry. Passed a hawser on board, and took her in tow, and brought her to this post. N. V. Express, last evening.

In the Haytien army there are said to be 4000 Major-Generals. -There are over 250,000 Freemasons in the

port .- N. Y. Express, last evening.

There is a married woman in Memphis who is a daily attendant at school.

Petty criminals in Liberty, Ga, are put in a chain gang and set to work on the streets.

—People in Pilatka, Fla. are daily awakened
by the cheerful chirp of huge alligators.

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

The City Amusements. AT THE CHESNUT the performance this evening will be for the benefit of Mr. Peter C. Abel, the business manager. Barnet's comedy of The Serious Family and the comedietta of Perfection will be given, and Mrs. Abel will appear and sing Kuchen's ballad of "Heaven Hath Shed a Tear." Mr. Abel, by his polite attentions in the front of the house, has contributed much in the serious of the serious files. buted much to the success of the Chesnut, and

A matinee performance of School will be given On Monday Mr. W. S. Fredericks, the stage manager, will have a benefit, when Lacy's drama of *The Two Friends* and Buckstone's comedy of Married Life will be presented. Mr. Fredericks

he will undoubtedly have a full house this

is one of the oldest and most respected members of the dramatic profession in America, and he is so well known and so highly esteemed in Philadelphia that the mere announcement of his benefit night ought to be sufficient to insure a crowded house.

AT THE ARCH Miss Lizzie Price will have a benefit this evening, when she will personate "Lady Isabel" and "Madame Vine" in the drama of East Lynne. The performance will conclude with Mr. Craig's burlesque of Romeo and Juliet. Miss Price is an excellent and popular actress, who deserves well of the public, and we hope her benefit will be a substantial compliment.

To-morrow evening an attractive bill will be p resented for the benefit of Mr. S. Hemple. AT THE WALNUT the spectacular pantomime of The Three Hunchbacks, with its amusing leatures, will be represented this evening.

A matinee to-morrow. AT THE ACTOEMY a grand vocal and instrumental concert will be given this evening by the Hassler Brothers, assisted by their orchestra and military band and by Miss Pauline Nininger and Mr. Wenzel Kopta.

AT THE ASSEMBLY BUILDING the panorama of "Ireland in Light and Shade" will be exhibited this evening.

A matinee to-morrow. MRS. SUSAN GALTON-KELLEHER WIll make her first appearance in twelve months this evening, at Musical Fund Hall, in a grand concert.

Mrs. Kelleher will be assisted by a number of popular performers, and a very attractive entertainment may be expected.

AT THE MUSEUM, Ninth and Arch streets, the fairy spectacle of Cherry and Fair Star will be performed this evening. A matinee will be given to-morrow. AT THE AMERICAN a family performance will

be given this evening, when a great variety of attractions will be offered. A family matinee is announced for to-morrow. A GRAND BAZAAR is now open at Concert Hall for the benefit of the sick poor of St. Mary's Hospital.

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BRADY.—On the 12th instant, William Brady, aged 23

The relatives and friends of the family, and Fourth of July Lodge, No. 196, K. of P., are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his mother's residence, No. 1908 S. Fifth street, on Saturday residence, No. 1998 S. Fifth street, on Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. To proceed to Sixth Street

CLARK .- At Trenton, N. J., on Tuesday, the 11th instant, David Clark, in the 70th year of his age formerly of Philadelphia). EAKINS .- On the 11th instant, Christiana, wife of Samuel Eakins, Sr., in the fist year of her age. The relatives and friends of the family are respect fully invited to attend the funeral, at her late residence, No. 1024 Palmer street, on Saturday, at 3 o'clock P. M. To proceed to Palmer's Ground. INORAHAM.—On the 12th Instant, at New Castle, Del., in the 55th year of her age, Caroline Barney, relict of Edward D. Ingrabam.

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